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Enclosed are documents for the filing of a new patent  
application identified as follows:

Applicant: BIRKERT

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR HIGH-PRESSURE  
INTERNAL SHAPING

Drawings: 4 Sheets

Claims: Independent: 2 Dependent: 7

Assignment: ☒ Enclosed ☐ Small Entity

☐ Not Enclosed ☒ Large Business

☐ Affidavit Enclosed

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\$43.00

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Specification in non-English:

Enclosed Check: \$810.00

PRIORITY CLAIMED:

☐ None

(1) December 6, 2002

☒ Country: Germany

Date: (2) May 13, 2003

Certified copy of foreign application (1) 102 57 343.3  
(2) 203 07 400.9

☒ is enclosed

☐ will be submitted

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